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The St. Louis professor who suggests that the name of this country should be changed to *Usoma* must have been in a peculiar state of mind when he evolved the idea. He projects it to the usual mind of the United States. North America, because it is too long and not sufficiently euphonious. But no one ever uses that long string of words to designate this country. It is the United States, the official name, and the name covers a meaning much more comprehensive than the mere significance of the two words "United States." In Europe this country is nearly always spoken of as *America*, and when any other part of the continent is referred to it is specified. When an Englishman is going to America he always means the United States. When he refers to the British domains on this continent he says "the colonies," he says "Canada or British Columbia." If he learned St. Louis professor objects to designating this country as *America* because that word is not euphonious, he must know that the United States, he must possess his soul in patience and wait for the time, which is surely coming, when there will be no objection on the continents, and from the pole to the isthmus, and possibly farther down, there will be one government, that of the United States, which will be the only one. He should not object from over-partisan people.

NEW GUN TESTED

New Rapid-Fire Weapons Designed for the Protection of the Mine Fields.

The former will be used to protect the mine fields in the harbor and the latter to protect the mine fields in the open sea.

New York, July 10.—A new rapid fire gun designed for the protection of the mine fields and a novel semi-automatic six-pounder for the navy have been successfully tested on the proving grounds of the Briggs-Seabury Gun & Ammunition Co., at Derby, Ct.

These guns were built for the army and navy respectively under contracts awarded at the beginning of the war with Spain and will probably play an important part in the plan and scope of national defense. The army gun is a six-pounder of the Briggs type and is mounted upon a parapet carriage, which admits of the piece being fired with the same rapidity as upon a naval mount.

While it can be easily transported from place to place, in fact, the new weapon is a combination of a field and coast defense gun. Its use will be principally to protect the torpedoes in the harbor by throwing such an overwhelming shower of shot and shell that no small boat could live within its zone of fire. The gun and carriage rest upon a parapet of the fort and are held rigidly in position by means of a V-shaped anchorage, which is worked under the center of the axle. Should it be desired to concentrate the fire upon any particular point, the anchorage is unhooked and the carriage rolled away to any point on the beach. A small spade at the rear of the trail piece can be released, and taking advantage of the ground, holds the gun in position.

The semi-automatic gun is also a six-pounder and is the first completion of \$1 for the navy. It is designed to make a revolution in rapid-fire guns, for with it a speed of 50 shots per minute was obtained Saturday, which is twice the record by the six-pounder, which is worked by hand. Another important feature is that it reduces the crew of a six-pounder from four to two men, one of whom throws in fixed ammunition as a projectile, the other fires into a furnace, while the other fires the breach block closes automatically.

LARGE CO-OPERATIVE COLONY

Eight Thousand Acres of Land to be Returned to Farming and to be Devoted to the Colonization of the Poor.

TOLSON, G. J. July 10.—Plans have been formulated for a large co-operative colony to be situated on Lake Erie near here, and 8,000 acres of land are to be secured, to be devoted to farming and to manufacturing interests. The promoter of the scheme is Joseph A. Johnson, of the state of Washington, and he has with him a number of local people who have ample means. The promoter Sunday announced that it is the intention to build a city which will engage in a commercial trade, the profits of which are to be divided equally among the members of the colony.

The land to be occupied is owned by Hon. H. T. Niles and options will be secured for what the colony needs. Mr. Johnson states that \$50,000 has been pledged to the enterprise and that the remainder of \$10,000 will be raised to make the colony perfectly independent from the start.

SCHURMAN MAKES A REPORT.

He Finds That the Conditions in the Southern Islands of the Archipelago Are Very Satisfactory.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Dispatches have just been received at the state department from President Schurman, of the Philippine commission, giving some account of his journey to the southern islands of the archipelago. He finds the conditions in those islands extremely gratifying. There is a disposition almost everywhere south of the equator to accept American sovereignty. President Schurman expects to arrive at San Francisco about the 15th of August. It is felt at the state department that the commission has done much to convey to the native Filipinos a proper conception of the purposes of the United States government and in that way has aided the strength of the insurrection.

Crushed by the Weight.

SHOALA, Ind., July 10.—At Natchez, Martin county, while the Salmon boys were hauling lumber, a young son of Jackson Ballou, when the team was stopped, got in front of the wheel, and when the wagon started, a wheel passed over his body, killing him almost instantly.

The Second Dividend.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 10.—Checks to the amount of \$175,734.75 mailed to preferred stockholders of the Pressed Steel Car Co. Saturday in payment of the second dividend of 14 per cent. on \$12,000,000. The dividend is payable July 10 on people who the books will be reopened for transfer.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

OHIO CITY, Pa., July 10.—By the explosion of a boiler on the Moran oil truck Saturday, James McKay was killed and John Ture was seriously injured.

BRAZOS FLOOD IS SUBSIDING.

Citizens of Hearne, Tex., Telegraph the Governor for Assistance—Need Food, Money and Clothing.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 11.—Gov. Sayers and a corps of assistants have spent the entire day working in behalf of the flood sufferers swimming up and down the Brazos river bottoms. Reports from the stricken district Monday are to the effect that while the waters are rapidly receding, the condition of flood sufferers is improving very little.

The governor received official reports from Vicksburg, the southernmost point, that everything was in fairly good condition there with 22 feet of water prevailing. He also received a telegram from the citizens of Hearne stating that they had fought alone as long as they could and would now have to ask public aid, that all the property of the people of that section had been lost, they were starving and homeless and asked for both money, food and clothing.

Their wants will be supplied at once, County Judge Bell, at Belleville, wired Gov. Sayers stating that the flood sufferers in the country north of Mills creek and 1,000 in the creek bottom in absolute need. From numerous other portions of the flooded districts similar reports come pouring in and their requests for aid were at once referred to the various relief stations being established along the flooded district.

Gov. Sayers stated Monday to a press correspondent that the flood on the part of some to belittle the damage attendant upon this flood was actuated by motives that he could not understand, and that during his long residence in Texas he had never seen a worse calamity befall its people, and that from reports he had at his disposal he was of the opinion that the list of sufferers would be very large.

M. LEBON TO BE PROSECUTED.

The Revolution of Inhuman Cruelty Practiced on Dreyfus Gets the Former Minister Into Trouble.

PARIS, July 11.—It is rumored that as a result of the revelation of the inhuman cruelty practiced upon Dreyfus while on Devil's Island, M. Lebon, minister who was responsible for the orders sent to M. Daniel while in charge of the penal settlement where Dreyfus was confined, will be proceeded against by the government not confining its action to Sunday's dismissal of Daniel.

M. Bertillon, the handwriting expert, who testified before the court of cassation that Dreyfus was the author of the bordereau still remains at the head of the anthropometric department of the prefecture of police, but has been deprived of his official duties. Baron Baugnot, another of the aristocratic promoters of the demonstration against the prefecture of police, has been pardoned. It is understood that M. Loubet also desired to pardon Baron Baugnot, who made the assault upon him, but the cabinet decided that it was quite out of the question.

BROKE THE OCEAN RECORD.

The Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse Crossed the Atlantic in 24 Days, 10 Hours and 53 Minutes.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The New York office of the North German Lloyd Steamship Co. received a cablegram Monday announcing that the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse arrived at Cherbourg at 2:50 Monday afternoon in record-breaking time of 5 days, 24 hours and 53 minutes, having passed the Sandy Hook light ship at 12:26 p. m. on the 4th and covered a distance of 3,100 miles.

Her average time was 22:02 knots, as against her best previous record of 22:56 knots. Her daily log ran 425 miles, fair; 519 miles, fair; 523 miles, fair; 528 miles, fair; 523 miles, fair; 524 miles, foggy; 50 miles, fair.

THE OFFICERS SUSPECT HER.

To a Woman Revenue Officer Lowry Was Talking, the Boys, When He Was Shot Down.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 11.—Deputy Marshal Galloway returned from the Blue Ridge mountains Monday night. He says Sunday night a woman, or a man in woman's clothes, went to the house of Earl Fields, in Cherokee county, and reported that there was a dead man in the road. She said she had been talking to the man and while doing so he shot her twice from ambush. Fields found H. C. Lowry's body, as described by the woman. They returned to the house and found the woman had departed. She is suspected of the crime. Lowry was a good-looking revenue officer, 35 years of age, and was a former. It is believed he was lured from his home and at a convenient spot shot down by a waiting mob, alms for revenge.

Three Miners Buried Alive.

ANOKIA CAMP, Cal., July 11.—In an explosion of gas powder in the mine of the Jonesville mine, three miners were instantly killed and three miners were buried alive. The bodies have not been recovered.

Big Bid for a Fight.

THE GLADES, Fla., July 11.—The Glen party people, who had been waiting for the Jeffries-Sharkey fight, have raised their bid to \$80,000. They propose to hold the fight in the open and charge a general admission of \$1.

TEACHERS IN A TRAIN WRECK

Three Were Killed and Several Others Injured in a Collision at Newman, Cal.

STOCKTON, Cal., July 11.—A special train of nine coaches filled with teachers on the way to Los Angeles attended the National Educational association convention, crashed into a freight train within 300 yards of the depot at Newman, Stanislaus county, Monday. Three ladies were killed and 13 passengers injured.

The list of killed and injured are: Killed: Miss Adelle Harris, St. Louis; Mrs. Lena Thomas, Seneca Falls, N. Y.

Injured: Miss Clara Morehouse, Battle Creek, Mich.; Mrs. Elizabeth White, St. Louis; Miss May Oliver, St. Louis; Miss Helena England, St. Louis; Miss L. B. Smith, St. Louis; Miss Gertrude Roseberry, St. Louis; Miss Edna A. Wehmer, St. Louis; Edwin D. Luckey, St. Louis; Robert G. Mills, Lake Creston, S. D.; Miss G. H. Morse, Philadelphia, Cal.; Miss Hattie St. Louis.

With the exception of Robert Mills, who was injured about the head, thought fatally, none of the injuries are at all serious, the greater part consisting of slight bruises or mere shocks.

The train was running at the rate of 30 miles an hour, and the freight train was taking water on the main track. The freight train took fire and an empty coach, way cars and three flat cars were burned.

There were no baggage cars crash against the locomotive of the special and the tourist sleeper, so that when the crash came the tender of the locomotive telescoped the sleeper, killing the three women in the forward berth and injuring 13 other occupants of the same car. None of the other coaches left the track.

B. & O. S. W. RAILROAD SOLD.

The Reorganization Committee Says the Property for \$2,510,000—Will Be Operated Independently.

CINCINNATI, July 11.—The Baltimore & Ohio Northwestern railroad was sold at 12:30 o'clock Monday. It was sold by E. E. Bacon, president of the reorganization committee. The road brought \$2,510,000.

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Then the road was offered as entirety, for which Bacon bid \$2,510,000. It was bid in on the latter proposition, as an entirety. Bacon put up an additional check, making the full amount \$2,510,000, 10 per cent. of the bid.

There was only one bidder, and the road will be operated, independent of the Baltimore & Ohio, although being controlled by it.

The bidder is required to deposit \$25,000 for each parcel bid upon or \$100,000 for a bid on the entire road. The successful bidder is required to put up at once enough in addition to his deposit to make ten per cent. of the entire bid, and the balance must be paid within 30 days.

A TRAGEDY AT A REVIVAL.

At Dallas, Tex., John T. Carlisle Shoots and Kills Prof. William Lipscomb, President of the Central Baptist Church.

DALLAS, Tex., July 11.—At 9:30 o'clock Monday night one of the most startling tragedies Dallas has ever known occurred in the First Christian church. In the midst of a protracted meeting service John T. Carlisle arose from his seat, walked to where Prof. Wm. Lipscomb, president of the Central high school, the leading educational institution of the public schools of the city was seated, and shot him without a word of warning. Carlisle was seized and taken to the county jail. He would not talk of the tragedy. Prof. Lipscomb was reported dead at 10:45 o'clock.

Carlisle had been chief janitor of the high school, but failed to be reappointed by the school board. He attributed his defeat for reappointment to the professor's influence and it is believed this was the cause of the murder. Prof. Lipscomb was a native of Nashville, Tenn., and came to Dallas four years ago. Carlisle is a native of Kentucky, a cousin of former Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle.

Martial Law Declared.

REBELS, Servia, July 11.—Martial law has been declared throughout the department of Belgrade, including the city, owing to discoveries made during the course of the inquiry into the recent attempt upon the life of former King Milan.

New Recruiting Station.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 11.—A recruiting station for the 13th volunteer regiment was opened here Monday morning. Many will join from this region.

THE PEACE CONGRESS' WORK.

A Proposed Convention in regard to the Arbitration of National Difficulties—Mediation of Friendly Powers.

THE HAGER, July 8.—The proposed convention of the peace congress in regard to arbitration of national difficulties is as follows:

Article 1. With the object of preventing as far as possible recourse to force in international relations, the signatory powers agree to use all means which they may deem necessary to prevent or mediate one or several friendly powers.

Article 2. The signatory powers decide that in cases of serious difference or conflict they will, before appealing to arms, have recourse, so far as circumstances permit, to the good offices or mediation of one or several friendly powers.

Article 3. Independently of this, the signatory powers deem it useful that the several powers not committed to the arbitration scheme shall on their own initiative or by agreement, in circumstances permit, their good offices for mediation to the contending states. The right of offering their good offices to powers not connected with the union by a convention of hostilities, which act can never be regarded as an unfriendly act.

Article 4. The part of mediator consists in recommending conflicting parties and appealing to them which may have arisen between contending states.

Article 5. The functions of mediation cease from the moment it may be decided by a convention of hostilities or by the mediator himself that the compromise or basis of an amicable understanding proposed by him has not been accepted.

Article 6. Good offices and mediation are the exclusive character of counsel and are devoid of obligatory force.

Article 7. The acceptance of mediation does not oblige the parties to accept of preparing for war. If the acceptance supersedes after the opening of hostilities it shall not interrupt the mediation in the event of military operations that may be proceeding.

Article 8. The signatory powers agree in recommending the application of special mediation in the event of threatened interruption of peace between members. Contending states may each choose a power to which they may refer the mediation of settling into a negotiation with a power chosen by the other side with the object of preventing a rupture of peaceful relations.

Article 9. To provide for the institution of an international commission of inquiry for the purpose of settling cases of minors, disputes not affecting the vital interests or honor of states, but impossible of settlement by other means, the signatory powers agree to constitute a commission of inquiry which will not force an arbitration judgment, leaving the contending parties full liberty to either conclude an amicable arrangement on their own initiative or have recourse to arbitration.

Articles 10 to 19 set forth the general objects and benefits it is hoped to derive from the arbitration court and declares signing the convention implies an undertaking to submit in good faith to arbitration judgment.

SEE WAS USING NAPHTHA.

Noted Washington Woman, Social Leader and a Writer, Burned to Death as an Explosion.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Mrs. Margaret D. Dickenson, wife of Capt. Francis W. Dickens, assistant chief of the bureau of navigation, was killed Friday morning at her residence by an explosion of naphtha. She was cleaning in the room with the fluid when it exploded.

Mrs. Dickens was a remarkably brilliant woman and a social leader in Washington. She was a writer of some note, her most popular book being a description of her cruise around South America on a man-of-war, of which her husband was commander.

ARE MANY APPLICATIONS.

Almost Every Officer Who Served in the War Took One Offered His Services in the Philippine Campaign.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—It was stated at the war department Friday that almost every officer who served in the army during the war with Spain, and who has been honorably mustered out, has offered his services to meet the needs of the Philippine campaign.

Altogether not less than 10,000 applications for commissions in the new volunteer army now forming have been received at the war department and have been placed on the files. Friday alone the applications numbered 480.

Father's Life Taken to Save His Mother.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 8.—Oscar Rydell, 12-year-old boy, Friday morning shot his father four times, inflicting dangerous wounds. The father, Carl Rydell, came home drunk and began quarreling with his wife. The son, attracted by a revolver entered the room with a revolver, and when his father raised his arm three times, four bullets taking effect, two in the chest, the boy and one in the groin. The boy surrendered and was in jail. He says he saw to save his mother's life.

FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

FOR THE REPUBLICANS.

The Lexington Chamber of Commerce Arranging for a Barbecue to the Delegates to the State Convention.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 8.—The chamber of commerce is busy making preparations for entertaining the delegates and visitors to the republican state convention to be held here next week. Gen. Taylor and Col. Stone have engaged headquarters at the Phoenix hotel.

The Chautauque ended Friday. The auditorium decorations will remain for the convention.

The chamber of commerce will attempt something entirely new in the way of entertaining the delegates and visitors a barbecue. Arrangements are being made to feed 5,000 people. The spread is to be ready Wednesday afternoon. Gen. Taylor, a famous "burger" maker, will have charge. He will make 700 gallons of the "burgers." There will be two hundred steaks, 18 of mutton, 10 steaks and 2,000 loaves of bread, besides scores of country hams and chickens.

BECKINRIDGE DENIES IT.

Says He Is Not a Candidate for Governor on an Independent Ticket and Is Not a Candidate for Congress.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 10.—A neat story sent out from Bowling Green that the democrats would hold a new election to nominate a new state ticket on which Col. W. C. P. Beckinridge would probably be the nominee for governor, Col. Beckinridge said last Sunday night:

"I am not now a candidate for the nomination for governor but I would not accept a nomination for that or any other office from any party. I stated when the delegates were sent from here saying that I was a candidate for the nomination for congress in this district. I was not and am not either a candidate for any nomination, nor would I accept any if tendered me."

CASE AGAINST FIELDS.

Four Times Has Judge Coughlin Alleged to Have Called to Trial—Jury Impaneled.

HARDYVILLE, Ky., July 8.—The case against Jesse Fields for the alleged murder of Judge Combs in Perry county was called for the fourth time Monday, and a jury was impaneled Thursday. Judge Brown, of London, is the special judge. Judge R. S. Dishman, acting commonwealth attorney, Capt. O'Brien is conducting the defense. No new evidence is expected. Fields expresses much confidence in a favorable verdict. Over 200 witnesses and the friends of the parties concerned are here, but no trouble is expected.

Ex-Corrupt Charged With Double Murder.

GREENUP, Ky., July 8.—June Boster, who has been captured and lodged on the Greenup jail for the murder of a stepfather, Al Logan, aged 80, and Al Royal, aged 20, on White creek July 4. The trouble was over a woman. Boster recently served a term in the penitentiary for robbing an old man named Sanford, near hanging Rock, O.

Editor Moore's Reception.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 10.—Editor C. C. Moore, just out of the Ohio penitentiary, was met at the depot Saturday with a brass band and escorted to the Phoenix hotel, where he was banqueted and met by friends. He then went to his home in the country, "Quaker's Rest." There he addresses by Hon. Moses Kaufman, Mrs. Josephine K. Henry and others.

Monument for Bland.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 7.—Kentucky is to be asked to assist liberally in providing the monument to be erected over the grave of "Silver Dick" Bland, of Missouri. Bland was a native of Kentucky, having been born at Hartford, W. L. Ferris will receive subscriptions at Louisville. The monument to cost \$10,000, will be erected at Lebanon, Mo. Bland's old home.

The Killing Was Justifiable.

SHERIDANVILLE, Ky., July 6.—A coroner's jury sitting in the case of the Negro, George H. Bland, finds that he was killed by Constable F. Pearce Bullock while the latter was in the discharge of his duty and thus the killing was entirely justifiable.

A Grocer Falls.

EVINGREE, Ky., July 7.—W. W. Moody, grocer, was on his way to work Thursday morning, naming W. E. Club assigned. Liabilities \$2,500, with assets \$4,000.

Cattle for Sale.

LANCASTER, Ky., July 7.—One hundred and ninety-one cattle, weighing 800 pounds each, left here Thursday, Morris & Co., of Chicago, purchased them from Healy Brothers, of this place. They go to Newport News, Va. to Liverpool.

Gen. Wilson Killed.

COLUMBUS, Ky., July 8.—John Wilson, better known as "Gen. J. C." Wilson, was killed near Russell Springs, Russell county, by a tree falling on him. He was cutting a timber.

THE STATE'S FINANCES.

A Statement of the Condition of the Kentucky Treasury Issued from the Auditor's Office.

FRANKFORT, Ky., July 9.—Following is the report of condition of the state treasury issued from the auditor's office Monday afternoon:

Sinking Fund—Balance May 31, 1899..... \$ 82,710.70 Receipts and transfers..... 1,287.17

Expenditures and transfers..... 6,977.96

School Fund—Balance May 31, 1899..... 16,405.18 Receipts and transfers..... 10,320.22

Total..... 269,024.28 Expenditures..... 219.84

General Expenditure Fund—Deficit May 31, 1899..... 69,118.18 Receipts..... 18,117.85

Total..... \$ 88,390.91 Expenditures..... 9,516.81

Total..... \$ 62,847.38

FOUR SERIOUSLY INJURED.

A Boy Bites a Giant Firecracker on the Bar—Two Men Will Probably Lose Their Eyesight.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 9.—Four men were seriously injured Tuesday night by the explosion of a giant firecracker in the Haymarket saloon, at Preston and Jefferson streets. The men were drinking when a boy entered and placed a large firecracker on the bar. It looked like one of the big "phony" crackers, and but little attention was paid to it.

Suddenly there was a loud explosion, and the men were hurled back against the wall. John O'Donnell, a barber, was hurled against the wall and face. Mike Fishery, a bar tender, was burned about the face, and will probably lose his sight. Jacob Stubbs, a produce dealer, sustained burns about the face and hands. George Alva, a driver, will probably lose his eyes.

May Not Prisoners Free.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 10.—Judge Bullock will take some measures to force Warden Eph Lillard, of the penitentiary, to accept the prisoners from the Fayette county jail or else he may set them at liberty. Because of the small pox in jail there Warden Lillard has continually refused to take the prisoners, although all signs of the disease have passed away several weeks ago.

New Railroad Survey.

LANSCASTER, Ky., July 10.—The railroad surveying corps which has been in camp here for about ten days has run three lines from Burgin to this place, the one on the west side being only 14 miles, two miles shorter than it was thought possible to make. The company promises to have trains running over this part of the road in a year's time and over the whole route in about two years.

Executive Committee to Meet.

MOUNT STERLING, Ky., July 6.—Chairman A. W. Young, of the state central and executive committee, has called a meeting to be held in Frankfort on July 11. The object of the meeting is the election of a secretary, discussion of plans for the approaching campaign and such other business as is necessary for a complete organization of the democratic county committees.

Smolton Patient Brought Into Court.

LONDON, Ky., July 7.—There was great consternation among the lawyers and a well-lit courtroom of spectators at Hyden when a prisoner appeared with a well-developed case of smallpox. Some of the lawyers shook hands with him before the discovery was made.

Rev. R. Lin Case Accepted.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 9.—Rev. R. Lin Case formally accepted the position of president of Kentucky university, despite the fact that he had been elected to the board of curators re-elected him in June, and at the meeting of the executive committee Friday afternoon he accepted the position.

Old Soldiers' Reunion.

PRESDONIA, Ky., July 10.—The reunion of the 20th Kentucky volunteer infantry will be held in Princeton August 15, 17 and 18. Everybody is invited, and a great crowd is expected. President McKinley, Gen. E. H. Hobson, Gen. Gordon, Gen. Wallace and Gen. Buckner have been invited.

New Kentucky Post Office.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Post offices have been established at these Kentucky depots: Jones, Elliott, shot at Manchester Tuesday night by Matt Smith, Garrard's friend. The report is considered authentic.

Another Killing Reported.

LONDON DEPOT, Ky., July 8.—It is reported that Jim Stubblediff, Sheriff White's deputy, was killed shot at Manchester Tuesday night by Matt Smith, Garrard's friend. The report is considered authentic.

THE HICKMAN COURIER.

George Warren.

HICKMAN, KY.

FRIDAY, JULY 14, 1899.

LOCAL NEWS.

Queenware at Shaw's.
—Read about "The Big Contest."
—Len Shaw has returned from Hot Springs, Ark.

—Ed. Kirkland was down from Union City Sunday.
—Your weight in silver is offered you in "The Big Contest."

—Special attention to Hardware shelf goods at Shaw's.

—Miss Nettie Hartwick, was down from Fulton this week.
—Mrs. Horace Lutten, of Fulton, was in town this week visiting Mrs. M. Randle.

—The county court of Lake county, Tenn., ordered the levee election to be held Aug. 3rd.

—Charles N. Walker will begin the publication of a newspaper at Columbia, Ky., this week.

—The Episcopal Sunday School and friends will enjoy a picnic at Brown's Springs, near town, today.

—The Benton Tribune says but three small cases were tried in the recent Marshall county circuit court.

—Shaw's \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 shoes can be had.

—Earnest sympathy is with Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Davis in the loss of their sweet little daughter Mary, who died Monday night.

—Gas Coulter, candidate for State Auditor, says he has assurance that W. J. Bryan will speak at Mayfield during the present campaign.

—When a man gets rich enough to indulge in the luxury of law suits, the lawyers begin to take an interest in him, and later from him.

—New Madrid Record: Miss Lizzie Wilson, grand daughter of Mrs. Eliza LaVale, arrived from Hickman, Thursday to visit relatives and friends.

—Elder John Ross, of the Primitive Baptist, will preach at Stubbs' school house, Saturday night before the 14th Sunday and on Sunday morning.

—Barbecue, dance, etc., at Graves School House, Tuesday, July 18th: one No. 8 Island, July 18th, one on Reelfoot near Walker & Ellison's mill, on July 22nd.

—C. B. Monks, Druggist, Moscow, Ky., says he sells Plantation Chili Cure and finds it suits his trade because it eradicates the system of all malarial poison, and he guarantees it.

—While the preacher was saying his benediction at West Liberty, Ky., Sunday, Jesse Day was shot and killed by two brothers, Jas. and Calvin Fugate. Another feed is feared.

—Elder N. B. Hardeman, of Henderson, Tenn., will begin a protracted meeting at Mt. Hermon, next Sunday 16th inst. The meeting will probably continue 2 weeks. Everybody cordially invited.

—Over 30 years experience in repairing fine watches and clocks. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.
R. W. BUCK.

—Read the advertisements in the Courier. You will always save money by finding out where you can buy the cheapest and you can find this out by reading the advertisements published in this paper.

—Mr. R. L. Moore, of Spokane, Washington, after a month's visit to the family of Dr. A. A. Parfitt, Sunday on his return home, says Miss Light and Mr. Parfitt accompanied him as far as St. Louis to visit friends.

—Miss Hattie Hunt has been employed to teach the evening term of the public school at Three States. Miss Hunt taught the Walnut Grove Sunday School, New Madrid county, last year, and gave good satisfaction.—Hilbard Banner.

—Miss Cora Lebia Brown, who has been visiting friends and relatives at State Lane, returned home last week accompanied by Miss Lillie Madison, who recently returned from London, Ga., where she has been attending school.

60 loaves Bread for 25c.
30 loaves Bread for \$1.00.
Patronize home industry and save from 20 to 30c on the dollar, at the New City Bakery.

—Prof. Clark, the hypnotist, is giving the people at Lawrenceburg something to talk about this week. He put a young man to sleep, buried the subject and then took him out of the ground and put him in a store window two days.

—The best cure ordinance, says an exchange, is one that is adopted in each family, where the old man acts as mayor and city council, night watch and calaboose keeper; where the wife and punishment go together, and where a good hickory stick is more to be feared than so much lolly-pop.

—It may not be generally known that persons who from carelessness or any other cause take mail from the post office that belongs to another and fails to return the same, are liable to a fine of \$500, or one year imprisonment. This applies to newspapers thus taken, as well as other mail matter.

—Ed. O. Gargill, a one time prominent citizen of Louisville, died at the Hopkinton asylum Friday last, and his body was taken to that city for burial Saturday. He served that city several times as tax collector, and was a man who gave great promise of successful future, but ill health and the use of narcotics unbalanced his mind and he became a mental and physical wreck.

—Dr. M. J. Joplin, representing the J. M. and A. O. Johnston Optical Co., will be with me on the 17th of the month, and those finding it difficult to obtain glasses to wear their eyes would be benefited by calling on him that day and having him fit them a pair of spectacles. Dr. Joplin has been with us before. He fitted several pairs of spectacles all of which are giving entire satisfaction.
W. M. HANDEL.

Farmers' Clubs.

A meeting of the Advisory Board of the Agricultural Bureau of Kentucky has authorized the employment of lecturers to visit the various counties of the State for the purpose of organizing Agricultural Societies or Farmers' Clubs.

The farmers of Kentucky suffer a loss of many thousand dollars annually through failure to realize the importance of doing thoroughly what is done, and by neglecting the many "small things" that go so far towards adding to the income of the progressive farmer.

Is there any good reason why the farmer of each county should be organized a Farmers Club, where they, their wives, sons and daughters would meet, say monthly, for an interchange of ideas on the best means of doing the things to be done on the farm? Can anyone doubt that they would each learn something from the other? No oratorical efforts should be attempted or expected, but after his own fashion every farmer would be willing to give his view on the subject under discussion, and if he has no views, there is a greater need for him to attend and listen to the views of others.

The aims of these Clubs do not lie purely educational, no politics involved. Mr. Moore, the Commissioner of Agriculture, says that during the past winter a number of these societies were organized, with much good, and requests the Courier to submit the facts to the farmers of Fulton county.

Wilson's Book & Jewelry Store.

—A State that has been nominated in Iowa by a new organization called the United Christian party, whose platform the Courier should be so covered by the standard: "What would Jesus do?"

—It seems that we are to have four State tickets, and the sovereign will have an extensive domain, over which to roam in search of a ballot to suit. The beauty of our institution is that if we can't get what we want, there is no body to help us from taking what we don't want.

W. G. WINTER, druggist, Clinton, Ky., says he has sold Plantation Chili Cure for many years, and among the many chili cures he finds the Plantation the most reliable he sells, as it acts different from the ordinary ones, which only stop chills for a short time. It removes the cause, and the cure is permanent.

—The State Convention of the Prohibition party will be held in Louisville August 1 and 2. A complete ticket will be nominated and a vigorous campaign. It is said will be successful in the fall. Geo. W. Bain, of Lexington, Dr. M. P. Hunt and Col. T. B. Remond are mentioned for gubernatorial nomination.

—The construction of the new wheat elevator at Fulton, is under headway, the frame work being up. It is constructed of heavy iron, and will hold 30,000 bushels, with 12 bins, and elevator, leading directly into the mill. Messrs. Hoar & Eversole are building it, and are trading at all points on the river below it, and their flour is giving perfect satisfaction.

—Kind words are the precious gems of speech which enrich all who receive them. They are as food to the hungry, as a shelter to the weary, and as a tonic to the faint. They are the best of all things that man can give to his fellow man. They are the best of all things that man can give to his fellow man.

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TO BUILD UP TOWNS AND CITIES.

In this day of progress and enterprise there are plans a plenty for building up cities, says the Nashville American, but all based, after all, on determination, energy and the knack of knowing how to get other people interested in your city. It is like building up a business. We notice some very good suggestions made by the Secretary of the Montgomery, Ala., Chamber of Commerce. After stating some of the advantages of Montgomery, he says:

"We would this year enter upon a vigorous campaign for small manufacturing enterprises and convince them of the superior advantages possessed by Montgomery. We should start a guaranteed fund of \$20,000, to be expended for the purpose alone, i. e., bearing the expense of removing successful enterprises and securing them desirable locations in Montgomery. We are now negotiating with a manufacturer employing 150 hands, doing an annual business of \$35,000 and spending \$2,000 a year in pay rolls. It will cost \$1,000 to move, \$2,000 for a building, \$2,000 for a desirable site, and he will lose one month's business doing it. We can bring him here, I believe, for \$2,500 and perhaps less. This matter will be placed in the hands of the Manufacturing Committee, who will develop a plan for raising this money and communicating with you later. Be ready and willing with your response. If you have a good live suggestion for raising money, submit it to them. They will be glad to receive it. Only remember, a city gets into money by a merchant trade—by going after it."

This is the right spirit. A town must go after business to get it, just like the individual must.

SANDERS & REEVES.

Has the latest, up-to-date 17 inch BUCKLES. Come and get you one. They are good goods, and so cheap.

Suffering and ruin have fallen upon a vast section of Texas' agricultural belt, sweeping away millions of dollars worth of property, sowing death and reducing many thousands to the menace of starvation and illness. But, thanks to the sympathy of the people of the great State living outside the path of the floods and the relief measures they organized, and to the excellent judgment of Governor Sayers in arranging a system for collecting and distributing relief to the sufferers, success has followed close upon the heels wrought by the destroying river.

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At \$16 to the pound, how much your weight amount to? Well, it may be going to offer you in the issue of July 21 of the Courier, your actual weight in pounds, and a list of all the people who have followed close upon the heels wrought by the destroying river.

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SOURCE OF YELLOW FEVER.

San Diego de Cuba has always had the reputation of being the breeding spot of yellow fever in Cuba, and the epidemic now prevailing there, notwithstanding the efforts of Gen. Wood and his assistants to place the city in excellent sanitary condition, shows that years of negligence cannot be overcome by a few months of strict sanitation. The outbreak of yellow fever at San Diego is in the face of strict sanitation and is alleged to result from germs which have been bred for many years in the old Spanish barracks. The buildings were disinfected, were thoroughly cleaned, were overhauled, but the carelessness of years in sanitary matters could not be easily remedied, and our troops are falling victims to the disease.

The advent of the curse at San Diego is to be greatly deplored. American soldiers are dying for they are not inoculated, but the spread of the plague will be checked, for cleanliness is certain to conquer.

The National Fall.

Gen. Lee Wallace, the distinguished author of "Ben Hur," who stands high in the councils of the Republican party, in discussing the subject of trusts recently at Crawfordsville, Ind., said:

"I know nothing more reprehensible than the neglect which has been shown this evil by the national authorities. From President McKinley down. He has an Attorney General who sits in his elegant office at the capital and sees the indignant multiply every day—almost every hour—right under his eyes. The public will hold the President responsible for the negligence and indifference of his Attorney General. The only hope in the future of action by the authorities is in the organization of all laboring men."

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WE SHALL COMMENCE OUR MID-SUMMER



CLEARANCE SALE!

TO * WIND * UP

the Summer's business, and clean up stocks, for the Fall business. We shall not stand back for Cost, but have made

Heavy • Reductions • in • Every • Department.

WE PROPOSE TO MAKE THIS THE

Greatest Sale in Hickman's History.

COME and INVESTIGATE. THERE IS SOMETHING TO INTEREST YOU.

Palm Fans, 1c each.	Coats Thread, 3c Spool.	Straw Hats, 8c.	Blue Cottonade Pants Best quality, 39c.	Ladies Vests, 4c.
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Summer Lawns, 2c.

Swiss and Scotch Lawns, 3½c.

Fine Lawns,

Dimities and Corded Lawns,

Were 7½c, now

5c

Fine Lawns and Jaconets

Reduced from 10c to

6c

Figured Piques,

Reduced to

10 and 12½c

Crash Suiting,

Cut from 10c to

6c

Finest Mousseline DeSoie,

Was 60c, NOW

40c

Ladies Shirt Waists,

White Pique and Bedford Cord,

Waists worth \$1.00, at

48c

Ladies Shirt Waists,

Reduced from 50c to

39c

Waists worth 48c, at 25c.

Ready-Made

Wrappers,

Reduced from 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 to

59c, 73c and 98c.

Ladies Trimmings Hats,

at 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Great Embroidery

Sale!

50 Pieces Fine Embroidery,
Wide, Medium and Narrow. Choice new
Patterns. We've put them in 3 lots.

Lot 1, at 5c, worth 7½c to 10c.

Lot 2, at 7½c, worth 10c.

Lot 3, at 10c, worth 15c.

Come quick for choice, they won't last long.

Ladies Slippers,

Finest \$2.00 Slippers reduced to

\$1.65

: Groceries. :

Best Fancy

Patent Flour,

\$4.15

Best Fancy Straight,

\$3.65

Arbuckles,

Lion,

XXXX,

or any Package Coffee,

10c.

Granulated Sugar,

18 lbs. for \$1.00

8 lbs SODA for 25c.

MASON'S

Quart Fruit Jars,

40c per Dozen.

MASON'S

Half-Gallon Fruit Jars,

55c per Dozen.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

We offer the Greatest Bargains in this Department
ever shown in Hickman.

Mens Fine Suits,

All Wool-Worsted, at.....\$6.75

\$ 8.75, any \$10.00 Suit in the house.

9.75, choice of any \$12.50 Suit.

11.75 for Finest 15.00 and 16.50 Suits.

Boys Suits.

\$3.95 for 5.00 Suits.

\$5.75 for 7.50 Suits.

\$6.95 for any 10.00 Suit.

Childs Suits.

59c, Childs Suit worth \$1.00.

98c for Childs \$1.25 Suits.

\$1.15 Childs Vestee Suits, 1.50 quality.

1.98 Childs 2.50 Vestee Suits.

Mens Tourist Hats,

Worth \$1.00, at.....69c

Straw Hats

Heavily Reduced to close out.

39c for any 50c Hat.

48c for any 75c Hat.

73c for any \$1.00 Hat.

Mens Guyot Suspenders,

Never sold less than 25c, at.....15c

Servens Drawers,

69c



Stetson Hats,

\$2.98

Mens Fancy Shirts.

59c for 75c grade.

73c for \$1.00 quality.

 Sale to Commence early SATURDAY Morning, July 15th, and continue until Saturday Night, July 29th. 

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PREACHER SMITH

Says the Negroes Will Not Vote for Taylor, and Predicts the Defeat of the Republican Ticket by 70,000 Votes.

The Louisville Times says that Rev. S. E. Smith, of Owensboro, one of the most prominent negroes in the State, was in Louisville several days last week in the interest of the Sam Houston order, of which he is the head. He takes an active interest in Republican politics. He is President of the State League of Colored Republicans, was a delegate from the State-at-large to the last National Republican Convention, and was a member of the advisory board of the State in the last presidential election. He is opposed to the nomination of Attorney General W. S. Taylor for Governor, and at a Times reporter he talked freely.

He said: "In the first place it is the height of folly to nominate a man who cannot receive the votes of his party. More than 80 per cent. of the negroes of this State are opposed to Taylor's nomination. They doubt his friendship to our race. He has opposed the appointment of negroes to office, and he was opposed to sending a negro as a delegate from the State-at-large to the last Republican National Convention, and then his association with Judge Guffy, who decided in favor of a separate coach law in Kentucky, is against him."

"Mr. Taylor can not be elected without the vote of my people. They cast about 65 votes for him."

"Do you think the Republicans have any hope of carrying the State this fall?"

"Well, yes, if the leaders will stop and listen to the voice of reason. It will be political suicide to nominate a man that all factions can't support. The negroes in Kentucky honor Gov. Bradley, they believe he has been their friend and they will not support any man who has fought his administration. The bosses had just as well hear the cry of opposition now as to hear it at the polls."

"Whom do you think would command the support of the negroes?"

"Judge Pratt, of Western Kentucky."

He admitted, furthermore, that fully 500 Republicans in Davies county will vote against Taylor if he is nominated, and that he would be beaten by 70,000 in the State. Not a Bradley Republican in the State, he said, would vote for Taylor.

Goebel Used No Liquor.

The editor of the Ewing Enquirer has this to say about Senator Goebel: "We desire to make a statement in justice to the man who has been so bitterly opposed by a few ministers in this county. At the headquarters of Wm. Goebel at the Galt House in Louisville during the late disgraceful meeting of the State there was not a case, bottle, keg or barrel of whiskey, brandy or beer in his rooms, nor was there a drunken man in his delegation from Kenton county, while there was an exhaustive quantity, what was termed by those who supported it 'the best' in all the rest of the headquarters we visited. We do not say this to injure another, nor as a slur at the party, for the Republican conventions are as disgraceful, but we speak of it to remind those who should be moral teachers that they must not too hastily judge."

Every one who was in Senator Goebel's headquarters can testify to the truth of the above statement. Nothing but fine water was to be had in his rooms.

The fact that the above combie has advanced the price of stores is not of as much interest at the present time as it will be several months hence.

KATE DELOUGHERTY, of Kansas City, is perhaps the only woman switchboard in the United States. Her position is an important one, as she throws the switches for all the passenger trains which enter and leave the union depot at this city. -Ex.

The Elizabethtown News says that every man on the Democratic ticket supported and worked for Bryan. Goebel was the largest individual contributor to the campaign fund of 1890 in the State. Breckinridge made speeches for Bryan. Beckham helped to organize the State for him in the same year. Nall offered himself as a sacrifice for Mayor in Louisville to make votes for Bryan. Coville, more than any other man, is responsible for the 14,000 majority in 1896 for the ticket, and McChesney, Hager and Hill all had their coats off for the ticket in the great contest.

LOCAL NEWS

—No marriage license issued this week.

—Ellison was paying \$50 for wheat yesterday.

R. T. Douglas has returned from Memphis, where he has been for several weeks.

—Mrs. Tom Ledford and children, who have been visiting parents in Fulton the past week, returned home yesterday.

NEW IMPERIALS. Straps, Rows, and the new Kentucky Tie at Ellison's. Mr. Green Watson bought the old coupe farm, near H. Smith, paid \$12, 100. R. H. Spitzer bought the Sledge land, price \$400.

—The corn crop in this section is disappointing. With a half wheat yield and a short corn crop, conditions are not encouraging.

STRAW HATS must go, and get it no object now. Some nice styles.

—Mr. C. M. Adams, the student here visited Tippecanoe, Gavins, Canaberville, and other points down the river, this week, looking for timber.

Get your eyes tested at the Old Reliable Eye, on Johnson's Cylindrical, the finest in town.

—If blood is thicker than water there surely oughtn't to be any of it spilt in the Anglo-American dispute over the Alaska boundary line.

—Texas people are themselves going to the aid of the sufferers in the disaster is so widespread that help from the outside is practically useless.

It has not been long since we heard a great deal of woman infringing on man's rights in the matter of dress, but the men just now seem to be coveting the woman pretty hard in the matter of some articles. The latest thing on men's clothes that look more like they were intended for woman's wear than man's. They are full in the bosom, look like silk, and are in pink, blue, and fancy Roman stripes.

—Carrollville Democrat: Sherman Poague and a companion arrived here from Fulton Co. Ky., on the Liberty last Wednesday to hold loans. They had been up nearly all Tuesday night and were sleepy. After getting off the boat they climbed on a fence at the Lehigh wharf and Poague went to sleep and fell off. He struck a box as he fell and was carried into the warehouse and died in a few minutes. The remains were buried in the city cemetery.

Wheat Wanted.

Hoen & Eversol announce that they are in the market to buy wheat, and will pay the highest market price, in any quantity, small or large lots.

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DEPORT THE DARRIES.

(Savannah (Ga.) News.)

Ex-Senator M. C. Butler, of South Carolina, in a speech delivered at Gaffney, in that State, on Wednesday last, discussed among other things, the race problem. He said that it was impossible for two races, one superior to the other, and the races having equal civil and political rights, to live together in peace and harmony under the same government. This is the position which the Morning News has occupied for a long time. If it is the correct one then the negro must either emigrate or give up some of his civil and political privileges. The prejudice against the negro does not decrease with time. On the contrary, it appears to grow stronger. It is not very apparent where the negroes do not crowd the whites, but even there it is very apparent among the laboring class. In the North the negroes are shut out of the labor unions. But the pressure of the negro there for room is not felt like it is in the South. In this city for instance, the negroes have crowded the whites off the wharves and they are doing the same thing in New Orleans. We mention only these two instances, but the same thing is taking place in many places in the South. And as they crowd the whites the prejudice against them becomes stronger.

Popular Excursions via C. & O.

The annual excursion to Old Point grows every year in popularity, and those who look forward to a pleasant outing always hail with delight the announcement of the date for this excursion. The beautiful and picturesque scenery all along the line must only be seen to be appreciated and always remembered. The elegant ventilated train service and the manner in which the C. & O. handles its personally conducted excursions is acknowledged to be far superior to any other line. The outgoing Aug. 26 will be run upon the same plane of elegance as former excursions. Those who want to divert their minds from business cares, and enjoy the mountain scenery and ocean breezes should arrange to go.

According to Chairman Rankin, of the National Committee, the Populists will go (at least next year) and will nominate a National ticket and touch off the fireworks month before either of the other parties holds a convention.

POPULISTS WILL WORK FOR PRESIDENTIAL.

Mortimer C. Rankin, Chairman of the Populist National Committee, was interviewed one day last week at Terre Haute, Ind., in regard to whether the Populists would form a fusion with Democrats for the coming campaign. Mr. Rankin said they would not, for the reason that the Populists will hold their National Convention one month prior to that of either the Democrats or Republicans. The Populists will prepare their own platform and nominate their own candidates. The time for the National Populist Convention is not determined yet, and cannot be determined until one of the big political parties names its date for its Convention. Mr. Rankin stated that the party was right up to its views, but it was hoped that every one would be brought to one course before the Convention met.

The Goebel Bill.

People who denounce the Goebel election law are generally misled in their knowledge as to what the new law really is. It really consists of a State Board of three Republicans—the Governor, the Attorney General and Secretary of State. The powers of the new board are not a whit greater than the old board. Three men of different political parties perform the same functions for each party and have besides the election officers, who must be of different political parties—a result not secured under the old law.—Anderson Journal.

DEMOCRACY has more at stake in Kentucky than ever before, says the Brandenburg Messenger, and will have to fight against odds far greater than in 1895, when the Republicans carried the State. This year the Republicans will have both the National and State administrations on their side, whereas in 1895 both were on the side of the Democrats, though the National Administration did not render any assistance to the party in Kentucky. We can win if we are united. If we are divided we will lose, and no mistake about it. Now is the time to get together and stay together until we win the raciale suit.

Farmers Free Columns.

Under this heading will hereafter be published notices and advertisements from farmers who are subscribers, who have horses, mules, cows, pigs, etc., for sale, for sale, for sale.

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